







2000 Annual Report

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TO THE MEMBERS OF THE GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY:

Let me take this opportunity to thank each and every member of the Department of Public Safety for the job you do each and every day. Your devotion to duty is reflected in your job performance and the services you provide.

I am pleased to have been a part of the improvements made during the year in the Department. I commend Commissioner Hightower, Colonel Ellis and everyone who had a part in formulating the Mission Statement and Core Values for your Department. This professional statement clearly defines the goals and mission for each person in the Department and is a blueprint for life.

I am also proud to have been a part of strengthening traffic laws in order to save lives. Sport utility vehicles are now covered under the seat belt law and the fines were increased for speeding in a construction zone.

The job you do to protect and save lives is evident through the traffic statistics each year. Despite an increase each year in the number of motor vehicles on the roads and the number of drivers being licensed, the number of people dying in traffic crashes has held the line for the past few years.

I congratulate each you for a successful year and I commend each of you for your dedication and service.



Sincerely,

Roy E. Barnes

Governor Roy Barnes Board of Public Safety Members of the General Assembly Citizens of Georgia



It is my pleasure to present to you the Annual Report for the Georgia Department of Public Safety. This report highlights achievements for this agency during calendar year 2000.

A recruiting unit was created in October to seek applicants for career positions in the Georgia State Patrol. The recruiting efforts focus on military bases, colleges and universities, high schools and the news media to get the word out that the Georgia State Patrol is seeking quality candidates.

Work continued during the year to revise the DPS Policy Manual and make the necessary changes in the Department as we work toward seeking certification from the Georgia Law Enforcement Certification Program and national accreditation from the Commission on Accreditation of Law Enforcement Agencies.

Construction projects were completed during the year at two highly visible Georgia State Patrol posts. In May, a new 12,000 square foot facility was completed in Houston County near the entrance to the Georgia National Fairgrounds. In October, a new patrol post was opened on the Causeway leading to Jekyll Island. The patrol post shares the building with the Jekyll Island Welcome Center.

Georgia State Troopers continued to set the pace for occupant protection enforcement. Four high visibility enforcement campaigns were conducted to increase seat belt and child restraint usage in the state. As a result of the enforcement, occupant protection usage increased to a new level for Georgia while traffic deaths remained below the projections.

The men and women of the Georgia Department of Public Safety stand ready to answer the call of duty and to assist others with whatever resources are necessary that we can provide.

Robert E. Hightower Commissioner

Colonel George A. Ellis Director – Georgia State Patrol

Governor Roy Barnes appointed Colonel George Ellis as the new Director of the Georgia State Patrol on July 12, 2000. Colonel Ellis has 31 years of experience in law enforcement and is a 26-year veteran of the Georgia State Patrol. He began his law enforcement career in 1969 as a Radio Operator in Milledgeville at the Milledgeville Police Department. He later became a patrolman with the Central State Hospital Police and from there a police officer with the Statesboro City Police.



Colonel Ellis began his career with the Georgia State Patrol in 1973 as a Radio Operator at Post #8 Madison, Georgia. After graduating from the 47th Trooper School, he was assigned to Post #45 Statesboro and remained there for nine years where he was promoted through the ranks of Corporal and Sergeant. After his promotion to Sergeant First Class, he transferred to Post #17 Washington where he served as Post Commander from 1984 – 1987. From there, he was promoted to First Lieutenant and became the Assistant Troop B Commander in Athens, Georgia. His next promotion was to Captain and Troop B Commander where he oversaw the operation of Georgia State Patrol Posts in Gainesville, Toccoa, Blue Ridge, Cumming and Athens.

Colonel Ellis has an Associate of Science Degree in Criminal Justice from the Georgia Military College, a B.S. degree in Criminal Justice from Georgia Southern College, a masters degree in Justice Administration from Columbus State University and is a graduate of the Georgia Law Enforcement Command College.

Special assignments during his Georgia State Patrol service include shift commander at the 1988 Democratic National Convention, Assistant Venue Commander at the 1996 Lake Lanier Olympic Venue, and Site Commander at Super Bowl XXXIV.

Colonel George Ellis and his wife Judy live in Watkinsville, Georgia. They have two children who are both students at Georgia College and the State University in Milledgeville, Georgia.

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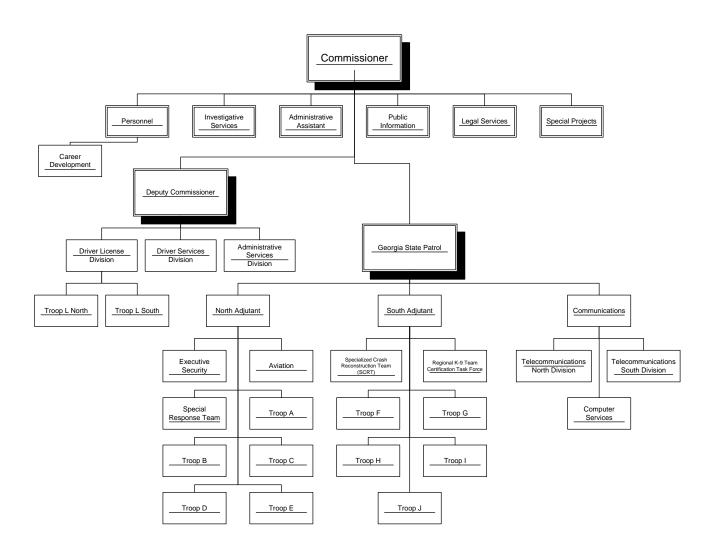
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DPS ORGANIZATIONAL CHART



DIVISION REPORTS

LEGAL SERVICES OFFICE

In 2000, the Department of Public Safety Legal Services Section consists of three attorneys, one paralegal and one secretary. Director of Legal Services reports directly to the Commissioner. The primary function of the Legal Services is to provide guidance to the Commissioner and his Command Executive staff concerning any matters associated with the day-to-day operations of the Department.

The Legal Section interacts with the Prosecuting Attorney's Council, Georgia Sheriffs Association, Association of Chiefs of Police, Criminal Justice Coordinating Council and the Governor's Office of Highway Safety in public safety related matters.

The Legal Services Section works closely with Investigative Services to ensure that investigations are complete and objective and when necessary, properly form the basis for discipline. The attorneys also worked closely with the Public Information Office and field staff in processing open records requests, subpoenas and other document request.

The DPS Legal staff regularly provides training to DPS employees, including taking part in unlawful harassment training of all DPS employees in 2000.

The DPS Legal staff review and file Safety Responsibility claims to suspend the driver's license of those individuals who were responsible for damages to Georgia State Patrol vehicles. These damages arose from motor vehicle accidents involving uninsured motorists or individuals driving stolen vehicles.

The Legal office acts as the liaison with the Department of Law in civil litigation matters. They ensure proper requests are made to secure the needed representation for DPS employees and they provide litigation support to the Department of Law when necessary.

Legal Services drafts or reviews all proposed legislation that may impact the Department and closely monitors and gathers information on bills impacting public safety.

On a daily basis the DPS Legal staff works in conjunction with the Personnel Services Section to ensure compliance with all applicable State and Federal labor and employment laws. Legal Services also provides technical assistance to Personnel in responding to inquiries made by the EEOC and the Georgia Commission on Equal Employment Opportunity.

In the calendar year of 2000 the Legal Services Section performed among other things the following activities:

The Legal staff reviewed, advised or drafted 36 contracts, agreements or memorandums of understanding between DPS and other companies, agencies, or individuals.

The DPS Legal staff reviewed 23 adverse actions and assisted in the administration of the disciplinary decision.

The DPS staff collected a total of \$8,113.91 from individuals for reimbursement on Safety Responsibility Claims. Staff processed 36 opened case files and closed four (4).

Public Information

The Public Information Office serves as liaison for the Department of Public Safety, the news media and the citizens of Georgia. When Governor Roy Barnes separated the Georgia State Patrol and the Department of Public Safety into two separate agencies in 2000, the change created great challenge for the Public Information Office.

In mid-year, PIO began taking an active public affairs role, not only for GSP, but for all the state agencies newly placed under the "DPS umbrella" as well. PIO became increasingly involved in projects for the Governor's Office of Highway Safety, the Criminal Justice Coordinating Council, and the Georgia Bureau of Investigation.

In order to support the Commissioner's statewide recruitment campaign, the Public Information Office purchased professional pop-up displays, customized with PIO photos and graphics showcasing GSP's Special Units. Seven portable displays were assigned to Safety Education, School Bus Safety, Implied Consent, PIO and Recruiting to help promote the mission and image of the Georgia State Patrol at seminars, news conferences and job fairs. Preparations were made to develop brochures, posters and a video presentation for a statewide recruiting effort.

For Troopers on the road, PIO searched for an easier and more efficient system for documenting traffic crash scenes and developing and storing photo evidence. Meanwhile, PIO researched money-saving contracts for film purchasing, processing and developing and renovated its in-house photo lab operations at Headquarters. PIO purchased professional video camera equipment for covering Department functions, high-resolution digital camera equipment for brochure and web page development and new graphic printers for better in-house publications.

Each year, PIO handles an ever-increasing volume of Open Records requests. PIO began an Open Records area renovation project in 2000, to clean-up outdated files, expand and secure storage of document and photo files, and to reorganize personnel assets to process photo-file backlogs. That reorganization effort included cross-training PIO staff to assist with Open Records tasks and designating staff members as Custodians of Records for the Department of Public Safety. From the outset, this essential project was recognized as long-term and continues to make steady progress.

When the Georgia State Patrol applied for national law enforcement agency accreditation, PIO helped develop the Department's Mission and Core Value Statements, and helped communicate the Mission Statement to Department personnel and to the public statewide. PIO developed Mission Statement posters, Trooper Magazine inserts, and news releases and media campaigns for use by Headquarters and Post PIO's.

During 2000, the PIO Deputy Director coordinated media activities related to Operation Strap N Snap, Georgia's high visibility seat belt and child restraint enforcement program. PIO worked with GOHS to produce a 30-second Public Service TV Ad featuring TFC Rose Ann Austin, and later Shuler provided the re-write and narration for a GOHS law enforcement instructional video, teaching methods for successful road checks.

During 2000, the Public information Office helped host the National Law Enforcement Explorer's Conference for thousands of future law enforcement officers at the Georgia Tech campus. The total amount of fees collected for media IDs, open record and video and photo requests was \$17,403.90.

PIO also began experimenting with new formats for a regular internal publication of Department news and events. Plans on the table would include the search for grant money to update the Departments' Alcohol and Drug Awareness Program videos.

Personnel Office

The Personnel Office is responsible for all employee related activity for the Department of Public Safety and its attached agencies. Announcements for all vacancies are made by Personnel and all applicant and employee interviewing is completed and/or reviewed by this office.

This office also administers the promotion system, the leave programs, Flexible Benefits, health benefits, the random drug screening program and the Departmental Grievance Procedure.

Special Projects

During the year 2000, the Accreditation Unit of the Special Projects Division Director continued to work toward achieving national accreditation from the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies (CALEA) and state certification from the Georgia Association of Chiefs of Police, for the Georgia State Patrol. The contract was signed and the process began. The primary emphasis during the year was the revision of the GSP Policy Manual. The Policy Review and Revision Committee met on a regular basis to discuss policies which had been drafted by members of the Accreditation Unit and others, as requested. During these meetings, members of the committee strove to reach a consensus on the best language and intent of each policy. By the end of the year, an estimated 80% of the existing policies had been reviewed and revised as needed.

Early in 2000, the Special Projects Director and the Agency Certification Coordinator attended every session of the annual In-Service Training to present a program on accreditation to every sworn member of the Georgia State Patrol. In November, several members of the Special Projects Division, including the Accreditation Unit, attended the CALEA Conference in Burlington, Vermont, accompanied by Commissioner Hightower and Colonel Ellis.

In June, as a result of a grant application to the Governor's Office of Highway Safety, the Accreditation Unit was able to purchase much needed high-quality computer equipment for the unit. This included a state of the art desktop computer, high-speed, high-quality color laser printer, a high-speed scanner, a multimedia presentation projector, and a laptop computer complete with a docking station, which allows the laptop to serve dual function as a desktop computer. Through the grant, the Accreditation Unit was able to purchase this top-of-the-line equipment at no cost to the department.

The Accreditation Unit also worked closely with the Department of Public Safety and Georgia State Patrol Command Staffs on several research initiatives. These included the following:

SWAT WEAPON EVALUATION

The Accreditation Unit conducted a technical evaluation of the Colt AR15 and the HK G36 automatic rifles for use by the State of Georgia Special Weapons and Tactics (SWAT) Team. The final report was a compendium of technical, statistical, and empirical data that documented the relative merits of each weapon. The conclusion of the report was that the G36 was the most suitable weapon and these firearms were subsequently purchased for use by the team.

MOTORCYCLE PATROL UNIT PROPOSAL

The Accreditation Unit assisted Sgt. S.Q. Thigpen of the Training Division in preparing a proposal in support of establishing a Motorcycle Patrol Unit for the Georgia State Patrol. The proposal included the duties, equipment, training, and deployment of the unit. Although no final decision was reached on this proposal in 2000, the final product was made available as a reference to department administration for their use.

MISSION AND CORE BELIEF DEVELOPMENT

In June, the Accreditation Unit participated on and provided support to the Mission and Core Belief Development Team assembled by Commissioner Hightower to develop a Mission Statement and Core Beliefs for the department. From June 26th through June 28th, 57 members of the department met at the Cobb County Training Center for an intensive three-day workshop.

MANPOWER ALLOCATION STUDY

At the request of the Commissioner, the Special Projects Division was asked to conduct a manpower allocation study to determine the number of additional troopers necessary to provide adequate patrol coverage of the Interstate Highway System in the Metro Atlanta area (Troop C). Mr. Tony McClung of the Department of Community Affairs was asked to take the lead on the principle study with Troop C personnel involved as support in identifying data sources and providing insight regarding operational policies of the department.

IMPLEMENTING A STATEWIDE 800 MHZ COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM

The Accreditation Unit participated in the preparation of a proposal to create a statewide 800 MHZ trunked radio system for use by all public safety personnel across the state. As envisioned, this system would provide seamlessly integrated voice and data communications to all participating agencies. Features of the system include both private and talk group capabilities, statewide point-to-point communications, multicast capabilities to improve reception in urban areas, and integration with existing 800 MHZ systems. Adoption of the proposed system has the potential to be the most significant improvement in public safety operations in Georgia since the implementation of in-car radio communications equipment.

CUSTOMER SATISFACTION SURVEY

In order to determine the effectiveness of operations, GSP Director Colonel George Ellis conducted a survey of all sheriff and police departments within the state of Georgia to obtain their responses regarding the level of satisfaction with services offered by the Georgia State Patrol. The Accreditation Unit assisted Col. Ellis in preparing the survey, compiling the data, and formatting the results for presentation to the Board of Public Safety and other interested persons. With a response rate of over 60%, the survey indicated that approximately 90% of the surveyed agencies believe the GSP is meeting or exceeding expectations in delivery of services.

EXCESS PROPERTY

Of the 159 sheriff departments in Georgia, 78 (49%) participated in the Excess Property Program in the past twelve months. Sheriff departments received property totaling \$4,020,410.46.

One hundred nineteen (28%) of 430 Police Departments participated in the Excess Property Program. Police departments received property totaling \$3,149,837.34.

Seventeen (35%) of 48 Multi-Jurisdiction Task/Drug Forces participated in the program within the past twelve months. These agencies received property totaling \$839,179.52.

Forty correctional institutions have participated in the Excess Property Program. Six (15%) institutions participated in 2000 correctional institutions received property totaling \$83,407.23.

Thirty-three state agencies have participated in the Excess Property Program. Nine (3%) agencies

received property totaling \$579,593.79 this year.

There are 34 "Other" law enforcement agencies in the Excess Property Program database. Three (9%) agencies participated in the program in 2000. Other agencies received property totaling \$45,686.10. Of the 744 agencies, the Excess Property Program served 232 (31 %) agencies this year. Total property distribution was \$8,718,114.44.

Special Investigations Division

The **Special Investigations Division** is comprised of the Internal Affairs Unit, the Backgound Investigation Unit, the Polygraph Unit, the License Fraud Unit, the Permits Unit and the Recruiting Unit.

The Internal Affairs Unit is primarily responsible for investigating allegations of misconduct made against Departmental members. This unit also investigates complaints of misuse of radar speed-timing devices against any agency bearing the Department's certification. During 2000, the Internal Affairs Unit conducted 32 Internal Affairs investigations, and six Radar investigations. The Internal Affairs Unit is comprised of one director, one Sergeant First Class/Assistant Director, one secretary and three investigators.

The **Background Investigation Unit** is responsible for conducting background investigations on candidates for employment with the Department. This unit conducted 573 pre-employment investigations for the Department; 52 pre-employment backgrounds were completed for out of state agencies; 22 requests for assistance were completed for out of state agencies for a total of 647 investigations for 2000. This unit consists of four sergeants, one investigative assistant and one secretary.

The **Polygraph Unit** works closely with the Background Investigation Unit. It also provides its services to the Internal Affairs Unit when necessary. This unit administered 343 polygraph tests during 2000. Of those 334 were pre-employment tests, and nine were specific issue tests. This unit has two polygraph examiners but operated with only one examiner for most of 2000.

The **License Fraud Unit** is responsible for investigating the many fraudulent license and ID card offenses committed annually in Georgia. The License Fraud Unit is frequently called upon to assist federal, state and local law enforcement agencies in the investigations of other types of fraudulent acts. During 2000, this unit conducted 441 investigations of license and ID card fraud. The License Fraud Unit also assisted and researched over 1,500 inquiries where callers believed that others had obtained licenses in their identities. The License Fraud Unit consists of one corporal/supervisor, four Investigators and one secretary.

The **Permits Unit** governs the statewide issuance of all emergency light certifications. This unit also issues a wholesale/retail firearm license, which is required by any business wishing to sell handguns under 15 inches in length. Additionally they issue speed detection device permits and tinted window exemptions. During 2000 this unit issued 44,996 emergency light stickers, 1,476 firearm licenses, 212 radar permits and 171 tinted window exemptions. This unit is made up of one permit specialist and one secretary. The total fees collected in 2000 for various permits was \$110,403.50.

In October of 2000, DPS Commissioner Robert Hightower assigned the responsibility of creating a recruiting unit to the Special Investigations Division and two recruiters were assigned from GSP. A recruiting committee was formed consisting of members from Public Information Office, Personnel and others. The committee made giant steps under short deadlines to include a GSP recruiting website where applications and information can be retrieved. A high quality recruiting video promoting the GSP is in production. An additional background investigator has been brought on broard. Recruting trips are underway. GSP recruiting efforts are focusing on military bases, colleges and universities, high schools and media campaigns to attract quality candidates interested in a rewarding career in law enforcement with the Georgia State Patrol.

Georgia Merit System testing is now being offered throughout the state. The background process has been expedited. Special recruiting vehicles have been purchased. Polygraph examiners will now travel around the state to administer examinations. A third recruiter has recently been added to the team.

TROOP A

Post 3 - Cartersville Post 5 - Dalton Post 28 - Canton Post 29 - Cedartown Post 38 - Rome Post 41 - LaFayette Post 43 - Calhoun

Covering Dade, Walker, Catoosa, Whitfield, Murray, Gordon, Chattooga, Floyd, Pickens, Cherokee, Bartow, Paulding, Polk and Haralson counties.

TROOP B

Post 6 - Gainesville Post 7 - Toccoa Post 27 - Blue Ridge Post 32 - Athens Post 37 - Cumming

Covering Fannin, Gilmer, Union, Towns, Lumpkin, Dawson, Forsyth, White, Hall, Banks, Jackson, Rabun, Habersham, Stephens, Franklin, Hart, Madison, Clarke, Oconee and Barrow counties.

TROOP C

Post 9 - Kennesaw Post 47 -Forest Park Post 48 - Atlanta

Covering Cobb, Fulton, Gwinnett, DeKalb and Clayton counties.

GEORGIA STATE PATROL

The Georgia State Patrol consists of 48 posts strategically located throughout the state. These posts are responsible for enforcing traffic laws, investigating traffic crashes, providing security detail as well as patrolling major events.

MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Georgia State Patrol is to enhance the quality of life by reducing crime, providing a safe environment, promoting diversity, and building trust. We readily accept our responsibility to be role models and commit ourselves to the uncompromising pursuit of excellence by practicing our core beliefs which are

TRUST, FORTITUDE, COMPASSION, PROFESSIONALISM

WE ARE TRUSTWORTHY.

- Troopers from Post 6 Gainesville won third place in the annual Community Bank & Trust pistol tournament held at Lee Arrendale Correctional Institute.
- Post 40 Albany handles logistic of security for Lieutenant Governor Mark Taylor who resides in Albany when he returns home from the Capitol.
- Troopers provided traffic regulation and crowd control for the following events:
 - o Atlanta Motor Speedway Hampton, GA
 - o Super Bowl XXXIV Atlanta, GA
 - o Fram National Drag Race Banks County
 - o The Players Ball Statesboro, GA
 - o Cemetery Days Mt. Vernon, GA
 - o Possum Hollow County Fair Dexter, GA
 - o Black College Spring Break Atlanta, GA
 - o Georgia National Fair Perry, GA
 - o Annual Watermelon Parade
 - o Gay Men's Health Summit
 - o Beach Music Festival Jekyll Island
 - o Country-By-the-Sea Jekyll Island
 - o Bluegrass Festival Jekyll Island

WE SHOW FORTITUDE.

 Fourth of July weekend proved to be dangerous in the city of Brunswick. Citizens from a local club rioted, damaging two city police cars and sending a couple of officers to the hospital for minor injuries. Troop I scrambled a riot squad which responded to the city for assistance.

- Post 12, Thomasville ended 2000 with traffic fatalities down by 50%.
- Post 40, Albany assisted Dougherty County Police and surrounding agencies in an accident caused by a tanker explosion on GA. #133. One passenger vehicle, one gasoline tanker and one box-type tractor-trailer were involved in the crash causing the obstruction of traffic for several hours and the evacuation of surrounding neighborhoods. Post 40, Albany was also a part of the search and rescue team for a missing Life Flight helicopter out of Georgia Baptist Hospital in Worth County. The helicopter was later found crashed in Worth County with three fatalities.
- Georgia SWAT Team member Mike Nash was wounded in the line of duty during a GSP Swat Response in Rabun County. Sgt. Nash recovered after being hospitalized and returned to duty.
- In January, tragedy struck as a Coffee County deputy and Broxton police officer were killed in the line of duty while attempting to serve an eviction notice. Post 36, Douglas troopers were called to assist these officers and contributed greatly in the ultimate arrest of the suspect.

WE SHOW COMPASSION.

- Troop G assisted the citizens of Mitchell County in February after tornadoes struck the Camilla area causing widespread destruction and several fatalities. Nineteen people lost their lives and many were injured along with millions of dollars in damages. Troopers spent several weeks in Mitchell County assisting with the clean up.
- Troopers participated in "Operation Zero Tolerance" sobriety checkpoints to target DUI offenders and "Strap 'N Snap" waves to target and educate the motoring public about seat belt safety.
- Post 11 completed a successful fishing tournament in support of the Ronnie O'Neal Scholarship fund. The tournament is an opportunity for the law enforcement officers throughout the area to come together for fellowship and to honor the memory of Ronnie O'Neal, a Post 11 trooper killed in the line of duty. Through the diligent efforts of Post 11 troopers, two \$500 scholarships are awarded each year.
- In October, the annual Troop H Day was held at the Georgia Veterans' Memorial State Park at Lake Blackshear. The annual golf tournament provided food and fellowship for all in attendance.

TROOP D
Post 1 - Griffin
Post 2 - LaGrange
Post 4 - Villa Rica
Post 24 - Newnan
Post 26 - Thomaston
Post 34 - Manchester
Post 44 - Forsyth

Covering Douglas, Carroll, Heard, Coweta, Fayette, Henry, Spalding, Butts, Troup, Harris, Meriwether, Talbot, Mucsocgee, Pike, Upson, Crawford, Taylor, Lamar, Monroe and Butts counties.

TROOP E
Post 8 - Madison
Post 17 - Washington
Post 25 - Thomson
Post 33 - Milledgeville
Post 46 - Conyers

Covering Rockdale, Walton, Newton, Morgan, Jasper, Putnam, Greene, Jones, Baldwin, Hancock Washington, Elbert, Oglethorpe, Wilkes, Taliaferro, Lincoln, Warren, McDuffie, Columbia, Glascock and Richmond counties.

TROOP F
Post 16 - Helena
Post 18 - Reidsville
Post 19 - Swainsboro
Post 20 - Dublin
Post 21 - Sylvania
Post 45 - Statesboro

Covering Burke, Jenkins, Screven, Jefferson, Johnson, Emanuel, Treutlen, Wilkinson, Twiggs, Bleckley, Laurens, Dodge, Telfair, Wheeler, Montgomery, Jeff Davis, Toombs, Tattnall, Appling, Candler, Bulloch and Evans counties.

TROOP G

Post 10 - Americus Post 12 - Thomasville Post 14 - Donalsonville Post 39 - Cuthbert Post 40 - Albany

Covering Chattahoochee, Stewart, Quitman, Randolph, Clay, Calhoun, Marion, Schley, Webster, Sumter, Terrell, Lee, Dougherty, Worth, Baker, Mitchell, Colquittt, Grady, Thomas, Early, Miller, Seminole and Decatur counties.

TROOP H

Post 13 - Tifton Post 15 - Perry Post 30 -Cordele Post 31 - Valdosta Post 36 - Douglas

Covering Macon, Peach, Houston, Pulaski, Dooly, Crisp, Wilcox, Turner, Ben Hill, Irwin, Coffee, Atkinson, Tift, Berrien, Cook, Brooks, Lowndes, Lanier and Echols counties.

TROOP I

Post 11 - Hinesville Post 22 - Waycross Post 23 - Brunswick Post 35 - Jekyll Island Post 42 - Rincon

Covering Effingham, Bryan, Chatham, Liberty, Long, McIntosh, Wayne, Glynn, Camden, Bacon, Pierce, Brantley, Charlton, Ware and Clinch counties.

WE ARE PROFESSIONALS.

- The 76th Trooper School assigned 11 new troopers to Post 3, Cartersville. The ten remaining troopers and non-commissioned officers accepted the challenge of helping and encouraging the new troopers to become effective members of the Georgia State Patrol.
- Renovations were long overdue for Post 34, Manchester.
 An office, the conference room and kitchen received face lifts. The post was also rewired to bring the building up to current building codes.
- Post 10, Americus assisted the Columbus Police Department in the annual demonstration of the School of Americas at Ft. Benning.
- After 30 years, Post 17, Washington began its remodeling project funded by Wilkes County.
- Renovations for Post 13, Tifton included the completion of the newly remodeled drivers license building adjacent to the facility.
- The year 2000 brought Post 15, Perry personnel a new home. The 12,000 square foot building was dedicated July 12 leaving behind its former home of 37 years. The dedication was attended by many dignitaries from across the state.
- Post 35, Jekyll Island, saw progress in many operational aspects during the year; the highlight of which was the implementation of a new 800 megahertz communications system. This communication system has the ability to crossover onto the Glynn County Public Safety 800 megahertz system, giving troopers radio coverage throughout the Glynn County operational area.
- During the spring, Post 30, Cordele was give a face lift when the DPS maintenance crew installed new floor tile in the lobby, radio room, and hallways.
- A new facility for Post 36, Douglas will find its home in the Coffee County industrial/business complex located in Douglas, GA. The new post will contain approximately 9,000 square feet of operational area expected in March 2001.

SPECIAL OPERATIONS

Aviation

uring the year 2000, the Aviation Unit concentrated on increasing its capabilities to provide critical services to law enforcement through an enhanced aerial support operation. With its complement of aircraft, equipment, and highly trained personnel, the GSP has capably provided aerial searches, surveillances, domestic marijuana eradication, disaster relief, law enforcement photography, transport of essential personnel, and dignitary protection.



The Aviation Section has continued to expand nighttime capabilities for search and rescue operations with the Forward Looking Infra-Red unit (FLIR) and the Night Vision Goggles (NVG). Presently, eight pilots are NVG qualified. With the additional training of four more FLIR operators this year, the total number of FLIR operators escalated to eight providing an increase in expertise and a decrease in response times. This allowed for more positive results. Numerous missing children, lost Alzheimer's patients, and escaped prisoners were located within the first hour of the aircraft's arrival. It has become increasingly apparent that with a modest investment in equipment and the proper training, we can save lives.

In an effort to improve skills and knowledge, GSP Aviation's training endeavors were once again enhanced. Training programs included the advanced Bell 407 Helicopter Flight School in Arlington, Texas and annual recurrent training taught by the Bell Helicopter Academy at GSP Aviation Headquarters in Kennesaw. One of our pilots attended the Helicopter Association International Expo in Las Vegas, NV, gathering useful knowledge and facts for future professional needs. Aircraft mechanics attended the Standard Aero Maintenance School and the Bell 407 Maintenance School. Due to their expertise, several of our members conducted FLIR training programs and exercises for our entire unit and other agencies as well. The Tattnall Co. Sheriff's Department, GA Dept. of Corrections, and the state aviation units from Alabama, Tennessee, and North Carolina attended the most recent training held in Reidsville.

Looking toward the future, rappelling equipment was obtained during the month of December 2000. The Aviation unit plans to begin a rescue program in joint efforts with the DPS SWAT Team. As our experience in the area of special operations continues to expand, we hope to offer the citizens of Georgia a much higher level of public safety service.

Construction efforts began during 1999 for a new Athens Hangar which was completed in July 2000. During the dedication ceremony, Colonel George Ellis referred to the new building as the "Senator Paul Broun Hangar". The 8,200 square foot hangar will serve various community needs of Northeast Georgia. The interior offices and barracks were completed in November.

During the 2000 working year, GSP pilots flew a total of 3,102 hours, supporting the uniform division with a total of 1,533 flight hours. In continuous support of the marijuana eradication, another 718 hours were flown for the Governor's Task Force. Our pilots located 30,182 marijuana plants and made 122 arrests. Support flights for other departments including the police departments, sheriff's office GBI, DOC and the Georgia Department of Corrections totaled 855 hours.

TROOP J - SAFETY EDUCATION, IMPLIED CONSENT AND SCHOOL BUS SAFETY UNIT

SAFETY EDUCATION UNIT

Safety Education is responsible for the statewide coordination of the Alcohol & Drug Awareness Program (ADAP) providing all materials to all public and private schools, as well as certifying and monitoring "contract" instructors. The unit also provides safety programs to civic, private and corporate groups as well as schools upon request.

During 2000 the unit supported the following other activities: Operation Zero Tolerance, Strap N Snap, Child Safety Awareness Week, American Legion's Boy's State and Girl's State, Bicycle Ride Across Georgia, Red Ribbon Week, Drunk/Drugged Driver Awareness Week and escorted The U.S. Navy's River to River Run along the coast as well as provided a four day escort for "The Run for Life" sponsored by the Rotary International.



In 2000, the unit provided 1988 programs entailing 3,953 hours. It expended 1,533 hours in the ADAP program. It made 3,330 public relation contacts and recorded 1,747 public safety radio announcements.

In the area of enforcement, the unit made 2,529 arrests and issued 2,835 warnings in 3,014 patrols covering 354,990 miles. Included in the citations were 728 seat belt violations and 46 child restraint violations. The unit also assisted 836 stranded motorists.

IMPLIED CONSENT UNIT

Implied Consent is responsible for basic training and refresher training of Intoxilyzer operators. This is provided to federal, state and local law enforcement. The unit is also tasked with the quarterly standardization and maintenance of 450 locally owned Intoxilyzer 5000 instruments based in facilities throughout the state. This task requires members to maintain evidentiary certificates and documents, as well as provide expert testimony for 602 agencies. All of this is done under the auspices of the Georgia Bureau of Investigation, Division of Forensic Sciences.

Instructional duties assigned to the unit include basic and refresher training which requires unit members to teach anatomy, physiology, chemistry and traffic law as it relates to Implied Consent, Driving Under the Influence (DUI) and Administrative License Suspension (ALS). In the two-day basic class, unit members teach theory of breath testing as it relates to theoretical aspect of alcohol equilibrium between blood and breath as well as theory of nondispersive molecular infrared absorption for alcohol detection, which is used by the Intoxilyzer 5000.

In 2000 the unit expended 1,300 hours training students. It permitted 1,162 new Intoxilyzer 5000 operators. Fifty-nine refresher classes were conducted at the Georgia Public Safety Training Center (GPSTC) and regional academies throughout the state refreshing 3,351 permitted operators from all

levels of Law Enforcement.

In the area of enforcement, the Implied Consent Unit made 1,697 arrests and issued 1,852 warnings in 2,963 patrols while traveling 276,950 miles to and from agencies to maintain their Intoxilyzers and on holiday patrol details. The unit also assisted 898 stranded motorists.

SCHOOL BUS SAFETY UNIT

The School Bus Safety Unit is comprised of 11 members responsible for the inspection of over 15,000 school buses to insure safe operation throughout the state. It regulates and monitors the 148 third-party testing sites and 220 third-party examiners who participate in the Commercial Drivers License Third Party Testing Program. Additionally, this unit inspects and monitors, 86 Commercial Driver Training Schools, 98 Driver's Education Programs in the Public School System and 153 Driver Improvement & Defensive Driving Clinics.

In addition, Cpl. T.A. Peeples Jr. of the School Bus Safety Education Unit held many seminars, workshops and bus driver trainer instructor courses during the year. These courses are designed to

assist local school systems as they train their individual instructors and drivers on issues such as safety laws, regulations and safe operation of school buses, transportation of special education children, School Bus Safety Standards and Bus Inspections.

During the month of May, members of the unit assisted with the annual school bus driver district rodeos conducted throughout the state. These rodeos are designed to improve driver skills and knowledge of maneuverability by means of practical skills test that simulate actual driving problems. In June, after all 8 districts had competed in district competition; the top 32 drivers along with the top 10 drivers from the 1999 State Competition competed in Marietta



for the honor of representing the State of Georgia at the International School Bus Rodeo competition held in San Francisco, California in July.

In the area of enforcement, the unit made 1,854 arrests and issued 1,290 warnings in 2,032 patrols covering 257,420 miles. This included 420 seatbelt arrests, 47 child-restraint citations and investigation of 10 collisions.

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DPS-521 COUNTY	ARRESTS ALL	S GA RES.	INTER.	DUI	SPEEDING	ALL	ARNINGS GA RES.	CRASHES	NUMBER INJURIES	FATALITIES
Appling	1912	1728	0	62	1022	2474	2310	118	137	7
Atkinson	1090	917	0	43	496	1072	941	65	59	2
Bacon	567	523	0	23	132	260	244	42	69	2
Baker	628	534	0	10	437	968	849	30	43	1
Baldwin	2388	2277	0	36	1200	1919	1879	107	87	5
Banks	1251	1024	361	34	613	1249	1141	91	144	3
Barrow	860	801	126	31	459	931	925	46	63	14
Bartow	8336	7198	2653	419	3443	7010	6319	2127	1187	23
Ben Hill	766	726	0	22	186	687	643	72	103	3
Berrien	1844	1516	0	38	1040	1810	1553	102	84	2
Bibb	1351	1207	508	54	613	554	516	14	2	0
Bleckley	805	765	75	21	497	591	577	38	45	3
Brantley	1132	969	0	41	624	1084	974	48	75	3
Brooks	1826	1503	0	41	996	1607	1386	195	173	7
Bryan	1635	1183	1057	39	1229	1018	816	64	76	5
Bulloch	3964	3533	670	141	2247	5039	4624	744	541	17
Burke	1303	1202	0	44	508	1432	1311	107	123	14
Butts	1805	1613	1303	32	1017	1210	1187	209	187	10
Calhoun	458	384	0	14	219	779	656	6	14	0
Camden	3777	1507	2527	116	2570	1892	1039	176	214	7
Candler	1874	1558	1193	72	1308	1568	1396	124	113	4
Carroll	3900	3294	527	129	1149	5152	4182	1386	961	17
Catoosa	4262	2524	2192	163	1277	5595	3279	951	561	3
Catoosa	179	140	10	13	59	126	99	0	0	0
Charlton	557	397	0	14	205	337	265	28	32	3
Chatham	4139	2938	2043	125	1974	2035	1593	76	70	3
Chattahoo	che 353	292	0	13	151	647	485	26	14	2
Chattooga	2759	2401	0	96	943	4052	3729	364	245	7
Cherokee	4298	4109	2173	97	1701	5283	5075	833	644	15
Clarke	1408	1361	0	34	67	932	920	111	104	0
Clay	330	250	0	28	143	592	437	17	23	1
Clayton	4978	3976	3724	15	2306	2105	1679	63	20	0
Clayton	169	166	133	1	82	86	74	8	6	0
Clinch	365	308	0	14	144	264	220	9	11	2
Cobb	6048	4543	4976	18	3277	2161	1757	90	32	1
Cobb	1734	1355	1218	3	845	524	398	13	5	0
Coffee	4097	3841	0	230	1185	3426	3247	360	322	19
Colquitt	1255	1058	0	50	506	1554	1358	113	144	8
Columbia	391	305	211	8	266	250	198	17	21	0
Cook	1471	1068	540	37	629	1107	924	236	190	12
Coweta	7249	7101	1841	20	3654	4980	4525	1624	1020	19
Crawford	444	402	0	7	290	415	396	3	2	1
Crisp	3111	2295	910	57	1374	4451	3789	231	155	7
Dade	2943	1030	1925	65	1789	3911	1732	282	223	2

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DPS-521 COUNTY	ARRESTS ALL	GA RES.	INTER.	DUI	SPEEDING	WA 3 ALL	RNINGS GA RES.	CRASHES	NUMBER INJURIES	FATALITIES
Dawson	1346	1315	0	20	385	2354	2330	117	168	7
Decatur	1694	1301	0	44	668	3114	2472	119	155	2
Dekalb	1631	1378	987	2	1138	495	424	12	5	0
Dekalb	2697	2331	2196	36	1310	499	445	25	9	0
Dodge	1103	1065	0	48	338	1550	1534	169	176	4
Dooly	2641	1654	1443	53	1679	2693	2139	203	126	2
Dougherty	2157	1915	0	49	955	2831	2550	9	8	0
Douglas	455	3782	1646	127	1527	6486	5238	2447	1000	8
Early	803	586	0	18	504	1237	942	50	33	2
Echols	415	295	0	13	241	387	292	24	19	1
Effingham	1698	1374	903	25	1234	966	807	83	103	6
Elbert	925	852	0	49	283	1008	959	101	129	8
Emanuel	2921	2540	331	84	1755	2329	2099	198	220	4
Evans	1046	956	0	56	507	1464	1372	66	84	1
Fannin	1172	982	0	53	385	1644	1434	249	261	2
Fayette	702	679	0	3	424	496	495	13	4	0
Floyd	1680	1557	0	18	772	2995	2632	76	26	0
Forsyth	2510	2457	0	50	618	3157	3077	226	229	4
Franklin	1386	1056	472	22	641	1414	1190	114	166	9
Fulton	5545	4674	4352	16	3499	1991	1759	42	17	1
Fulton	1245	1027	1050	2	901	567	475	16	8	0
Fulton	2619	2362	2188	7	1974	1243	968	36	24	0
Gilmer	1157	1054	0	26	567	1176	1109	166	193	5
Glascock	77	72	0	3	50	82	76	8	13	0
Glynn	4468	2593	2051	97	2832	2968	2043	226	160	7
Glynn	1184	877	103	30	511	1276	1009	90	11	1
Gordon	3594	2804	1053	136	1483	4261	3346	622	445	15
Grady	1517	1192	0	40	890	2026	1640	65	79	0
Greene	706	592	294	23	377	474	408	114	167	4
Gwinnett	1207	1054	624	21	365	252	226	21	6	0
Habersham	1889	1733	0	48	913	2157	2029	187	290	7
Hall	4220	3972	986	121	1764	3045	2890	467	483	20
Hancock	1058	1000	0	31	584	634	606	43	50	4
Haralson	2428	1699	1018	29	1572	2109	1697	210	200	12
Harris	2047	1496	690	29	1159	1265	673	246	247	4
Hart	586	525	34	21	204	528	490	56	90	6
Heard	756	656	0	9	426	445	395	48	41	2
Henry	557	545	73	6	338	340	328	71	49	3
Houston	6234	3866	3890	154	3581	5550	4260	208	131	6
Irwin	710	662	0	14	349	684	660	67	62	6
Jackson	1452	1234	407	42	671	1146	1049	175	264	6
Jasper	446	405	0	17	225	260	237	59	77	4
Jeff Davis	739	690	0	10	178	854	841	69	65	2
Jefferson	1166	1029	0	28	785	851	768	42	90	7

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DPS-521 COUNTY	ARRESTS ALL	GA RES.	INTER.	DUI	SPEEDING	ALL WA	RNINGS GA RES.	CRASHES	NUMBER INJURIES	FATALITIES
Jenkins	774	683	0	34	344	1026	934	60	77	2
Johnson	608	550	0	13	368	541	518	31	39	0
Jones	807	768	0	15	580	646	631	1	0	0
Lamar	1640	1507	201	40	919	1079	1025	164	138	2
Lanier	1227	1077	0	21	753	948	860	38	47	2
Laurens	6356	5704	2384	131	3681	3826	3614	578	407	14
Lee	1708	1532	0	61	681	2169	2090	233	183	5
Liberty	3012	2187	627	107	1367	2023	1538	344	340	13
Lincoln	345	317	0	20	110	320	275	18	36	2
Long	2486	2136	0	118	1202	2120	1810	91	87	2
Lowndes	8379	6090	1684	226	3556	6907	5515	1137	730	10
Lumpkin	692	676	0	20	238	1315	1292	43	29	4
Macon	1609	1491	0	77	659	1772	1714	128	94	2
Madison	2763	2637	0	149	1042	3004	2965	195	307	6
Marion	1110	1025	0	28	570	1283	1238	82	75	0
McDuffie	2679	2298	762	88	1376	1651	1401	343	261	5
McIntosh	1981	1073	1049	57	1277	1241	832	136	155	9
Meriwether	2738	2632	32	100	1131	3230	3115	330	224	8
Miller	1004	769	0	15	612	1688	1441	48	53	1
Mitchell	1502	1326	0	38	1014	1978	1769	128	162	6
Monroe	6137	4099	4855	53	5085	2246	1829	80	62	1
Montgomery	436	417	0	17	103	521	510	46	77	7
Morgan	3148	2584	1901	43	2327	1941	1605	246	260	8
Murray	2083	1692	0	35	1316	2720	2212	331	334	7
Muscogee	666	561	312	0	349	316	284	3	2	0
Newton	3559	2870	2272	78	2001	1623	1390	204	257	13
Oconee	1317	1282	0	19	757	1284	1259	150	208	5
Oglethorpe	1343	1283	0	52	617	1433	1379	77	94	2
Paulding	4096	3975	0	175	1077	4739	4565	1150	766	16
Peach	4155	2683	2529	91	2823	3056	2492	176	170	5
Pickens	1701	1606	0	38	853	2075	2000	209	223	11
Pierce	916	830	0	40	300	630	587	118	105	3
Pike	1018	991	0	34	577	1104	1071	165	139	1
Polk	2982	2817	0	102	1223	3785	3446	490	348	11
Pulaski	1203	1106	0	89	373	1293	1240	115	77	4
Putnam	380	350	0	6	196	224	206	17	42	1
Quitman	674	408	0	31	361	1305	836	10	12	0
Rabun	263	222	0	10	69	360	309	34	55	7
Randolph	1640	1227	0	42	1099	3477	2575	81	64	8
Richmond	731	598	249	12	391	396	322	13	14	2
Rockdale	2416	2083	906	133	1115	1472	1320	65	26	0
Schley	643	582	0	19	346	907	880	23	26	1
Screven	1305	1164	0	67	499	2422	2199	141	136	5

2000 DPS-521			EN	IFORCEME	NT.				CRASHE	
DPS-521 COUNTY	ARRESTS ALL	GA RES.	INTER.	DUI	SPEEDIN	G ALL	RNINGS GA RES.	CRASHES	NUMBER INJURIES	FATALITIES
Seminole	1160	846	0	35	480	2237	1700	69	58	2
Spalding	4991	4825	171	160	2058	3633	3613	874	599	7
Stephens	1402	1325	0	41	389	1951	1853	197	183	3
Stewart	1585	1098	0	49	1198	2705	1944	43	18	3
Sumter	2497	2358	0	94	804	2935	2855	275	266	4
Talbot	1785	1517	0	48	1045	2210	2066	133	92	1
Taliaferro	917	615	690	9	745	685	536	46	48	4
Tattall	2410	2240	0	147	909	1998	1873	147	136	3
Taylor	2127	1745	0	34	1652	1494	1313	107	99	2
Telfair	1719	1641	0	46	531	2147	2111	87	74	1
Terrell	1071	869	0	22	528	1051	982	37	41	0
Thomas	3604	2822	0	105	1903	5091	4268	254	245	5
Tift	5085	3918	920	110	2593	4660	3922	609	422	14
Toombs	1293	1154	0	75	556	1464	1379	67	66	6
Towns	196	138	0	7	67	676	598	31	40	0
Treutlen	871	689	517	24	647	604	555	32	30	0
Troup	6736	4542	3147	158	3308	5640	3611	785	435	7
Turner	1267	955	380	23	765	1489	1209	175	127	5
Twiggs	1978	1830	629	44	1387	1230	1177	52	65	10
Union	506	447	0	16	221	1365	1231	44	54	4
Upson	3063	2955	0	77	1158	3980	3902	382	279	2
Walker	4537	3709	0	208	1415	6495	5098	849	648	9
Walton	1165	1016	320	23	833	517	474	71	83	13
Ware	1562	1351	0	48	571	1071	976	138	163	8
Warren	1216	981	581	20	835	616	511	159	134	5
Washington	1519	1466	0	34	1008	757	742	62	99	5
Wayne	1090	924	0	46	614	1167	1044	74	86	1
Webster	926	659	0	13	643	711	634	18	19	0
Wheeler	675	631	0	15	249	921	886	54	51	2
White	679	650	0	36	249	605	588	44	74	5
Whitfield	2658	1831	1353	64	1197	4429	3304	106	65	0
Wilcox	1094	1001	0	19	586	1776	1645	55	41	0
Wilkes	1707	1573	0	47	878	1777	1666	127	88	5
Wilkinson	510	487	0	7	306	398	391	34	38	8
Worth	1069	943	0	46	569	1241	1089	232	186	5
Other	14006	11749	3690	367	7420	9513	7925	51	14	0
City of Atlanta	a 9984	8223	8363	34	3991	2525	2083	109	51	0

TOTAL 349493 291341 100211 9195 176079 320302 2749077 33722 26685 796

2000	ENFORCEMENT							CRASHES	3	
DPS-521	ARRESTS						ARNINGS		NUMBER	
COUNTY	ALL	GA RES.	INTER.	DUI	SPEEDING	ALL	GA RES.	CRASHES	INJURIES	FATALITIES

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EMISSION CONTROL ACTIV	ITY	SAFETY EDUCATION ACTIVITY			
I&M STATION INSPECTION HRS.	26	NUMBER SCHOOLS VISITED	1,107		
SCHOOL BUS INSPECTION NO.	5	SCHOOL PROGRAM NUMBER	467		
SCHOOL BUS INSP/COMP HRS.	232	SCHOOL PROGRAM ATTENDANCE	26,915		
		SCHOOL PROGRAM HRS.	655		
Total Inspection Hours	258	FILMS SHOWN NO.	353		
		SLIDE PROGRAM NO.	1,009		
AVIATION ACTIVITY		PAMPHLETS DISTRIBUTED	88,778		
		BICYCLE RODEO NO.	3		
AIRCRAFT MAINTENANCE HRS.	365	BICYCLE RODEO ATTENDANCE	260		
FLIGHT NUMBER	1,429	BICYCLE RODEO HRS.	10		
FLIGHT HOURS	3,175	D.D.C. NO.	39		
TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT HRS.	5	D.D.C. ATTENDANCE	1,095		
SEARCHES NUMBER	55	D.D.C. HRS.	878		
SEARCHES HOURS	2,304	CIVIC CLUB NO. CIVIC CLUB ATTENDANCE	54 2,315		
ADMINISTRATIVE HRS.	7,110	CIVIC CLUB HRS.	2,315 111		
OTHER AVIATION HOURS	3,072	EMPLOYEE GROUP NO.	142		
	·	EMPLOYEE GROUP ATTENDANCE	9,400		
Total Aviation Hours	26,031	EMPLOYEE GROUP HRS.	271		
		OTHER PROGRAM NO.	965		
ALCOHOL/DRUG AWARENE	SS	OTHER PROGRAM ATTENDANCE	52,208		
PROGRAM (ADAP)		OTHER PROGRAM HRS.	2,080		
		RADIO SPOTS TAPED	1,470		
SCHOOL INSTRUCTION HRS.	107	RADIO SPOTS AIRED	87,223		
SCHOOL VISITATION HRS.	1,301	RADIO/TV PROGRAMS	172		
SCHOOL PROGRAM NUMBER	12	STUDY PREPARATION HRS.	356		
SCHOOL PROGRAM ATTENDANCE	447	SAFETY EDUCATION CONTACTS	25,355		
NO. PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS PASSE	ED 30	PUBLIC RELATIONS VISIT NO.	2,971		
NO. PRIVATE SCHOOL STUDENTS PASS	SED 43	PUBLIC RELATIONS VISIT HRS.	2,443		
NO. PRIVATE SCHOOL STUDENTS FAILE	ED 20	ADMINISTRATIVE HRS.	3,779		
IN-SERVICE TRAINING HOURS	2,077	Total Onfoto Education	40 500		
	_,•.	Total Safety Education Hours	10,583		

Total ADAP Hours......3,485

COMMUNICATIONS DIVISION

Implementing a Statewide Public Safety Communications System

For many years, the State of Georgia has realized the need for an updated radio communications system for use by public safety personnel across the state. As early as 1985, a study was conducted which concluded that the most suitable system was an 800 MHz trunked radio system. In the 1995/96 session of the Georgia General Assembly, Rep. Ralph Twiggs introduced a resolution (HR 468) that recommended that this statewide 800 MHZ system be adopted as the state standard for law enforcement communications to allow law enforcement agencies in Georgia to have efficient communications in order to protect the citizens of this state.

COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM EVALUATION

In late 1996 and early 1997, the Georgia Department of Public Safety, as well as several other state agencies, began to evaluate an interim system by leasing Iden radios from the Southern company, commonly referred to as SouthernLinc, or SOLINC. This system was tested in several areas of the state and found to be unacceptable for use by public safety agencies. In fairness, the SouthernLinc system was never designed to function as a public safety communications system and quite simply lacked several features that are vital to public safety operators.

NEW TECHNOLOGY AVAILABLE

The 800 MHz statewide communications system project is poised to move into the implementation phase. The current system has been assessed and found to be totally inadequate to the needs of the users. Alternatives have been explored and none were determined to be satisfactory to serve these needs. The proposed system encompasses all of the functional requirements to address these needs and is available immediately upon approval for purchase. Public safety in the State of Georgia Requires that the system described be implemented as quickly as possible.

STATEWIDE COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS

Dependable wireless communications is an absolute necessity. The ability to contact, direct, and coordinate public safety personnel across the state is vital. The following agencies will be able to communicate both among themselves and with local agencies using this statewide communications system:

- Georgia Department of Public Safety
- Georgia State Patrol (traffic enforcement)
- Georgia Bureau of Investigation (criminal investigation)
- Georgia Department of Transportation (responding to hazardous roadway conditions)
- Georgia Emergency Management Agency (disaster assistance and emergency operations)
- Georgia Department of Natural Resources (enforcement of game and fish laws)
- Georgia Public Service Commission (commercial vehicle enforcement)
- Georgia Department of Corrections (escaped prisoner, general prison operations and riot situations)

Not only will the communications system enhance each agency's individual operation, but it will provide for better cooperation and assistance among all agencies during normal conditions, and permit improved joint operations involving man-made and natural disasters, such as hurricanes, evacuations or civil disturbances.

PARTICIPATION AND COMMITTMENT

The number and types of system users is dependent upon the participation of local agencies in the statewide communications system. It is anticipated that state agencies will have an almost total commitment to the system for communication needs. However, for local agencies, needs assessments and cost of participation will be the determining factors. Preliminary estimates indicate that cost of participation will be less than the long-term cost of maintaining and upgrading proprietary systems. This is without considering the additional advantages inherent in the integrated nature of the system.

USER TYPES

Actual number of users will depend on the communications needs of participating agencies. The types of users can generally be assigned by the following:

- Law Enforcement
- Fire and Rescue
- Emergency Medical Services
- Emergency and Disaster Operations
- Highway and Road Maintenance
- Administrative

THREE PHASE PLAN

Pursuant to approval and funding, the implementation of the statewide communications system is prepared to begin. At present, it is expected that the system will be implemented in three segments. The Hurricane Evacuation segment, will include the metro Atlanta area, the I-75 corridor from Atlanta to Macon, the I-16 corridor form Macon to Savannah, and the I-95 corridor from Savannah to Brunswick.

The North Georgia segment will include the remainder of North Georgia, where the bulk of the state's population is concentrated. This will include all of Georgia north of a line running generally from Columbus to Augusta.

The South Georgia segment will consist of that part of Georgia south of the line form Columbus to Augusta, exclusive of the areas included in the hurricane evacuation segment.

FCC REQUIREMENTS

There are two critical considerations regarding the time frame for the implementation of the statewide communications system. First, and most critical, the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) requires that construction of systems utilizing allocated frequencies in the 80 MHz band begin within two years of licensing of those frequencies. The State of Georgia is now beginning the second year of that two-year period, having licensed frequencies in September of 1999.

CALEA ACCREDITATION

The second consideration involves the Georgia State Patrol's (GSP) current process of seeking accreditation from the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies (CALEA). In order to received accreditation, GSP must have the capability to record and playback all incoming radio transmissions and emergency telephone call. While this could possibly be accomplished by extensive additions to the current VHF system, such an investment in an inadequate system would be fiscally unwise and would do nothing to improve operational communications. Since the cost of complying with communication requirements will be significantly reduced by participation in the statewide communication system, the accreditation process would be open to many smaller departments that might otherwise find it too expensive.

PROJECTED COSTS

The total cost to fund the statewide communications system will be determined by the number of users. Initial estimates place a base cost at approximately \$170 million. This is based upon purchase and installation of the following equipment:

- 158 conventional transmitter repeater sites
- 30 simultaneous transmission repeater sites
- mobile and portable radios to support approximately 25,000 state public safety personnel

To date, the costs of this project have consisted of expenses incurred in conducting studies and evaluations of potential systems. If the costs of the SouthernLinc radio pilot are included, these costs have approximately \$2 million dollars.

Costs to upgrade and maintain this new system will be less than the current system, both because initially the new equipment will require fewer repairs, and because new technology allows equipment to be upgraded through software rather than replacement of expensive hardware resources. Statewide integration of communications will allow costs to be reduced for all participating agencies through statewide contracts for compatible equipment, and distribution of upgraded hardware.

DRIVER LICENSING/DRIVER SERVICES

The **Administrative Unit** is responsible for processing all Administrative Driver License Suspensions resulting from receipt of DPS 1205 forms from law enforcement officers. As a result of the suspensions, hearing requests by licensee or attorney are received, processed, and prepared for the Office of State Administrative Hearing Office or a Denova hearing by the Department.

The **Correspondence Section** receives, opens, sorts, distributes, and answers inquiries regarding suspensions and reinstatements of Drivers License.

The **Driver Improvement Section** is responsible for opening, certifying, licensing, monitoring and overseeing the operation of 135 Defensive Driving Schools, 85 Commercial Driver Training Schools (includes Driver Education), 101 Driver Education Programs in public schools, and 800 instructors. The Department has approved USA/Georgia Defensive Driving Program, National Safety Council Training Program and G.A.R.D.E. Defensive Driving Program. With the upcoming Legislation of tighter "Teen Age Driving Laws", Georgia may see more schools opening driver education programs.

	Regular Pas	sing	Regular Fail	ure
Class	Written	Road	Written	Road
A	108	0	10	0
AP	52	0	44	0
В	193	0	40	0
BP	208	0	63	0
С	30, 776	47,087	19,841	12,509
CP	57,875	0	36,514	0
D	1,003	33,495	633	6,086
M	235	3,065	102	770
MP	5,589	0	2,950	0
	CDL Passing		CDL Failure	
Class	Written	Road	Written	Road
A	1,553	241	890	45
AP	4,480	0	2,559	0
В	407	105	328	8
BP	2,528	0	1,622	0
С	71	65	23	5
CP	44	0	33	0
M	9	6	9	3
MP	16	0	14	0
End H	8,930	0	6,694	0

End N	2,123	0	929	0
End P	2,995	0	1,717	0
End T	1,503	0	975	0
End X	225	0	70	0
AirBrk	7,527	0	4,395	0
CombVe	5.699	0	3.103	0

Total Commercial

CDL Vehicle	Inspected	CDL BCST	Given	CDL Road T	est Given	Endorsement
Added Total	DPS-23	DPS-23	Renewal	Out-of-State	;	
319	297	303	4,050	28,484	21,684	2,808

Total Non-Commercial

DPS-23	Renewal	Out-of-State	Eye Test Failure
362,749	581,286	86,615	997

The **Habitual Violator Unit** is responsible for all activities pertaining to the five years revocation of a driver license and issuance of Habitual Violator Probationary License. On May 1, 2000 the installation of the Ignition Interlock Device became one of the requirements for the probationary license.

The **Ticket Coding Unit** is responsible for receiving and processing all conviction reports received from the courts in Georgia (1,096,694) and out of state (81,129). The Unit returns all out of state driver licenses to the appropriate state and forward conviction reports to driver license issuance state for action deemed necessary by the home state.

January - December 2000

Conviction reports received from Georgia Courts	
Total Received	1,096,694
Processed	754,126
Conviction reports received from out-of-state	81,129
(999) Processed	30,980
Non-Resident Compact on out-of-state drivers license	
Suspension	35,887
Statements	19,862
4. Mailed Ga. citations etc. on out-of-state residents	
to home state for processing	216,386
5. Typed returns to court for incomplete citations	4,250
6. Issuing Dept. citations on DUI	13,531
7. Drug form received	16,698
Processed	12,354
8. Phone calls received from clerks, patrol posts	4,682
9. Court corrections received	8,189
10. Out-Of-State CDL	12,046

11. Ga. CDL received	10,229
Processed	9,559
12. Child Restraint	56,934
13. H.O.V. Lane	6,968
14. Foreign Licenses	8,057

LICENSE PROCESSING UNIT

License Processing is responsible for receiving, verifying, processing, and the mailing of 248,292 driver licenses and identification cards. The Unit has received and filed approximately 10,875 unclaimed driver licenses and prevented 3,600 suspended driver licenses being mailed in error.

ADMINISTRATIVE UNIT TALLY

Administrative License Suspension Affidavits Received	25,667
ALS/DUI Processed	16,910
ALS/Implied Consent Processed	6,529
APA (Hearing Packages) sent to OSAH	7,430
ALS Hearing Decision Upheld	1,500
ALS Hearing Decision Withdrawn	4,912
ALS 30 day Permit Issued	4,857

LICENSE ISSUANCE AND REVENUE COLLECTIONS

License Issuance		Revenue Collections
126 15 94 183 7,818 40 300,447 123,081 43,888 408,733 1,136 864 32,954 74,261	\$210 Probationary \$200 Probationary \$65 CDL License \$58 CDL License \$25 License L/P \$22 License \$15 License \$10 License \$5 License \$5 Day NF Permit National Guard License Veteran License N/C Replacement	\$26,460 \$3,000 \$6,110 \$10,614 \$195,450 \$880 \$4,506,705 \$1,230,810 \$219,440 \$3,269,864
<u>563</u> 994,203	Inmate License GRAND TOTAL LICENSE FEES	\$9,469,333
3,053 65 9,919 4,805 218 2,357 94,201 226,317 986 174 1,336,298	\$50 CDL Road Test \$35 CDL Application \$5 Endorsement \$5 HC ID Card \$5 Indigent ID Card \$10 Public ID Card \$1 Eye Donation Instructional Permit GRAND TOTAL ALL FEES	Temporary \$3,250 \$347,165 \$24,025 \$1,090 \$11,785 \$942,010 \$226,317 Veteran ID
7,614 3,338 2,741 6,378 647 17,128 1,325 739 94 360 10,797 38,336	Total Voids - Examiner Error Total Voids - Other Total Retakes - Examiner Error Total Retakes - Other Reprints - Examiner Error Reprints - Other Total Oral Tests (Regular) Total Oral Tests (CDL) News Media ID Departmental ID Temporary HC Parking Permit Permanent HC Parking Permit	

REVOCATION AND SUSPENSION

Traffic Offenses Unit

Traine Offenses Offic	
Controlled Substance Possession	10,813
Juvenile Court Suspensions and Controlled Substance Possession	278
Possession of Alcohol or Drugs by Minor	737
Driving Under the Influence (DUI)	32,721
2nd DUI (Non-Juvenile) (1059)	7,861
Points	4,271
Driving While License Suspended, Revoked, Canceled	29,127
Homicide by Vehicle	65
Failure to Appear in Court	127,877
CDL DUI 1-Year Disqualification	267
CDL DUI Lifetime Disqualification	3
CDL Mandatory 1-Year Disqualification	265
CDL Mandatory Lifetime Disqualification	0
CDL Serious Offense 60-Days Disqualification	977
CDL Serious Offense 120-Days Disqualification	245
Child Support Suspensions	11,678
All Other Suspensions	2,993
Medical Revocations	817
Habitual Violator Revocations	3,007
Habitual Violator Probationary Licenses Revoked	151
Habitual Violator Probationary Licenses Canceled	546
Habitual Violators - Withdrawn	124
Habitual Violator Probationary Licenses Issued	520
Habitual Violator Probationary Licenses Approved	882
Habitual Violator Probationary Licenses Denied	468
Limited Permits Approved	911
Limited Permits Denied	288
Limited Permits Issued	2,739
Limited Permits Revoked	371
Limited Permits Canceled	0
Cancellations - All Others	332
DUI Interlock Permits Issued	345
Under 21 - DUI (1062)	3,335
Under 21 - 2nd DUI (1064)	1,056
Under 21 - Serious Violations (1063)	11,357
Under 21 - School Suspensions	5,266
DUI Nolo Contendere Orders Issued	32
DUI Nolo Credit Entered	15
DUI Nolo Pending Deleted	1,182
ALS 30-Day Permits Issued	4,490
120-Day Permits Issued	15,118
	33

Revocation and Suspension continued

120-Day Permits Revoked	38
Extensions of 180-Day DUI Permits	163
Controlled Substance Nolo Contendere Orders Issued	2,485
Controlled Substance Nolo Credit Entered	17
Controlled Substance Nolo Pending Deleted	223
Point Reductions	1,586
Records Combined	5,766
Licenses Encoded	42,615
Warning Letters	32,649
Certified Records	7,304
Nolo's and Corrected Records	17,271
Unclaimed FTA Notices	74,728
Unclaimed Orders Entered on CRT	1,798
Habitual Violators Served by Courts	1,271
Habitual Violators Served by Other Means	1,769
Mandatory Suspensions Served by Courts	50,533
Mandatory Suspensions Served by Other Means	45,101
Overnight Express Mail Processed	7,258
Revocation Documents Processed by Front Door	58,607
Insurance Departments Processed by Front Door	22,961
Surrender Dates and Affidavits Entered by Front Door	2,588
Reinstatements	61,350
Reinstatement Fees Paid (Amount)	\$7,006,398.00

REPORT OF FIELD REINSTATEMENTS

During 2000, the Department of Public Safety operated ten (10) Driver's License Reinstatement sites. The personnel in these facilities provided reinstatement efforts in Albany, Athens, Augusta, Columbus, Dalton, Dublin, Gainesville, Macon, Savannah and Waycross. However, the Dalton facility was closed in August 2000.

Driving Under the Influence	26,711
DUI Nolo's Pending Suspension - Deleted	2,574
DUI Nolo Credits Earned	3,241
Mandatory Suspensions	4,212
Controlled Substance Supensions	4,722
Controlled Substance Nolo's Pending Supension - Deleted	675
Controlled Substance Nolo Credits Entered	821
Juvenile Controlled Substance/DUI	1,102
Possession of Alcohol Under 21	4,542
Points	4,899
Habitual Violator Revocations	3,103
Cancellations	1,180
Bail Bonds	197
Failure to Appear in Court	12,728
Failure to Appeaer in Court Pending Suspension - Deleted	3,547
Court Releases	426
Juvenile Court Releases	217
Point Reductions	1,874
Non-Payment Child Support	1,435
Excessive School Absenteeism	1,706
School Violation Suspensions	1,398
Revocation and Suspension Reinstatement Fees (Amount)	\$ 10,226,660.00

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

The Administrative Services Division provides departmental support for Fiscal Services, Supply Operations, Fleet Management/Garage Activities, and Maintenance Operations.

FISCAL SERVICES

The Comptroller's office coordinates activities for Fiscal Services which include Accounting, Grants Management, and General Services. This office also coordinates departmental construction activities, risk management/insurance, and real estate property management.

Two construction projects were completed this fiscal year. The Jekyll Island patrol post and welcome center was completed in October, 2000. This 7,400 square foot facility was built for \$756,000. The new 12,000 square foot Perry patrol post in Houston County was completed in May, 2000 at a cost of \$1,249,000.

DOAS Risk Management was paid \$667,000 for insurance coverage for 1,100 motor vehicles, 15 aircraft, 63 state owned buildings valued at \$37,691,000, contents in 114 facilities valued at \$12,277,000, theft of monies, and other miscellaneous items.

Sixty three (63) state properties and fifty one (51) leased properties were managed having a total value of \$49,968,000.

ACCOUNTING

The Accounting Section maintains the DPS accounting books and records for Public Safety proper and six attached agencies. The section consists of accounts payable, accounts receivable, revenue collections, general ledger and payroll. The Department of Audits and Accounts examined the financial statements and compliance activities of the Department to the extent considered necessary in order to express an opinion as to the fair presentation of the financial statements. The conclusions of the audit were: (a) in the reconciliation of the DPS books to "per audit" balance sheet, no adjustments were needed to be made by the Department; (b) agency surplus for budget unit "A", DPS proper was \$430,674.44 and budget unit "B", attached agencies was \$165,641.65; (c) the only financial finding was in the General Fixed Assets/Property Management area for equipment additions not being reconciled to the general ledger expenditure accounts; and (d) there were no fraud, irregularities and/or illegal acts noted during the course of the audit engagement.

GRANTS MANAGEMENT

The primary activity of this unit is to prepare grant applications, compile records of grant funded activities and submit reimbursement requests. During fiscal year 2000, there were five grants that provided in excess of \$403,000 in funding to the Department and approximately \$310,000 to Chatham County's K-9 Task Force. In addition to running the Chatham County K-9 Task Force, the activities funded by these grants included seatbelt enforcement, assisting local courts to automate citation reporting, fatal accident reporting and body armor for new troopers. Grants management also reviewed all submitted outside audits of governmental agencies that received grants from the Governor's Office of Highway Safety. Numerous audits from cities and counties were reviewed for compliance with GOHS standards and a determination is made concerning any financial settlements.

The following represents the FY 2000 grant activity for the Georgia Department of Public Safety:

K-9 Regional Task Force

Criminal Justice Coordinating Council \$366,223

To supervise the activities of the Chatham County Sheriff Office's K-9 unit regarding inspections and training dogs/handlers.

Seatbelt Enforcement Campaign

Governor's Office of Highway Safety \$175,696

To pay for activities associated with continuing the Strap 'N Snap project (two part-time troopers as liaisons, travel, promotional items, etc.).

Citation Automation

To provide software, hardware, or monetary grants up to \$5,000 for courts to automate their citation reporting processes. (4th year)

Governor's Office of Highway Safety - \$63,150

Fatal Accident Reporting System

The department is the central receiving and recording agency of all accident reports within the state of Georgia. (9th year)

National Highway Traffic Safety Administration - \$96,590

Body Armour Vests

To purchase 85 bulletproof vests (for graduates of the trooper school, necessary replacements and 35 SRT members). Partial reimbursement due to limited funds.

Department of Justice/Bureau of Justice Assistance - \$11,883/\$32,370 (state)

TOTALS

\$713,542 (Federal)

\$32,370 (State)

GENERAL SERVICES

INVENTORY CONTROL

The **Inventory Control Section** consists of the Supply Inventory System, the Vehicle Management System (FleetAnywhere), and the Motor Vehicle Insurance Coordinator.

The **Supply Inventory System** is responsible for maintaining and updating an on-line inventory system of all items purchased, maintained, and issued by the Supply Section. This includes office supplies, medical supplies, janitorial supplies, clothing and accessories. At the end of fiscal year 2000, the supply inventory included approximately 69,910 items valued at \$1,689,495.20.

The **Vehicle Management System** is a fully automated perpetual system that provides cost, utilization and management information on all vehicles owned by the Georgia Department of Public Safety, Georgia POST Council, and Governor's Office of Highway Safety. The vehicle system processes all transactions that affect vehicle costs, usage, and descriptive information. It provides fleet management information by vehicle or location. At the end of fiscal year 2000, the Department had 1,254 vehicles on inventory, valued at \$21,322,616.06.

The **Department Motor Vehicle Insurance Coordinator** is notified of all vehicle accidents involving department owned vehicles. The Insurance Coordinator notifies the Department's insurance carrier and handles claims for repairs of vehicles and other departmental equipment. Information on all departmental vehicle accidents is maintained on a computer program, which is updated by the South Division Adjutant's office and the Department Insurance Coordinator. During fiscal year 2000, 139 DPS vehicles were involved in accidents and \$108,878.98 was reimbursed to the Department through insurance claims.

Departmental vehicle tags and titles are also handled through the Inventory Control Section.

RECORDS MANAGEMENT

The **Records Management Unit** is responsible for maintaining the Records Management Program for the entire Department of Public Safety. The unit assists and advises all offices on which records must be retained, how long to retain records, and where the records should be maintained. The unit coordinates with the State Records Center on transmittal of records and proper destruction of records. A yearly inventory is maintained to make sure the Department meets requirements set forth in the retention schedules.

During fiscal year 2000, Records Management was responsible for processing 150 printing requests, reviewing printing when completed, and authorizing payment. Printing costs for the Department during fiscal year 2000 was \$672,602.00. The Records Management Officer ensures that all printing is done fast and as economical as possible. The printing is done on state contract by Georgia Correctional Industries and small/minority vendors. At a cost of \$280,311.00 per fiscal year, this office maintains contracts for 114 Departmental copiers, which includes renewing all rental and maintenance agreements and making sure copier requirements are met for each office.

The Records Management Unit is responsible for all forms used by the Department and maintains a master file of all forms, initiating revisions when necessary.

This unit also assists in maintaining the Fuel Card and Purchasing Card programs for the Department. The Fuel Card, consisting of 1,200 cards, is a credit card used for routine maintenance and fuel. The Purchasing Card, consisting of over 100 cards, is a MasterCard used to receive merchandise faster, provide prompt payment to vendors, and reduce the number of small value purchase orders issued. Since beginning in 1999, this program has grown to a \$1.3 million a year program.

ASSET MANAGEMENT

The **Property Management Unit** is responsible for maintaining an equipment inventory for the Department of Public Safety, which includes GSP Headquarters, 48 Georgia State Patrol Posts, 75 GSP Drivers License Facilities, as well as various administratively attached agencies.

With the exception of weapons and a few select items, only those with an acquisition cost of \$1,000.00 or more are recorded on the property system.

In an effort to track equipment and maintain an accurate inventory, this unit processed 1,130 additions with acquisition costs totaling \$1,613,484.57; 853 deletions valued at \$1,531,120.19; and 18,080 transfers during fiscal year 2000. These transactions are updated daily on the property system.

PURCHASING

The **Purchasing Section** is responsible for coordinating and monitoring all purchasing activity, which includes purchasing office supplies, pursuit vehicles, aircraft, law enforcement items, and establishing specialized contracts. This office also prepares and distributes purchasing procedures and assists departmental personnel with these procedures to ensure that all purchases are within established rules and regulations.

During fiscal year 2000, the Purchasing Section utilized the new statewide Phoenix Program, PeopleSoft, to process 9,400 purchase orders and 13 state requisitions for a total of \$14,140.000.00.

MAILROOM

The **Mailroom** processes all incoming and outgoing U.S. Mail and United Parcel Service packages and maintains a postage account for the Department. During fiscal year 2000, the postage for outgoing U.S. Mail totaled over \$730,000.00. The mailroom is responsible for daily pick up and delivery of lock box packages and courier runs to the Department of Revenue, State Records Center, Twin Towers, East Atlanta Post Office, etc., as needed.

Revenue Collected and Transferred to State Treasury Fiscal Year 2000

0011	100	LIGE		
DKIN	/EKS	LICE	N2F	FEES

Probationary License	210.00	\$143,760.00
Probationary License	200.00	45,485.00
CDL License	65.00	11,115.00
CDL License	58.00	14,154.00
Limited Permits	25.00	405,668.00
License	15.00	9,379,594.08
License	10.00	2,651,060.00
Organ Donor	8.00	6,472,012.00
CDL Road Test	50.00	300.00
CDLApplication	35.00	697,324.00
Endorsements	5.00	46,986.00
HC ID Card	5.00	1,225.00
Indigent ID	5.00	21,990.00
Public ID	10.00	1,968, 804.00
30 Day Ltd. Permit	25.00	5,280.00
Child Support Suspension35.00		850.00
Overage		3,950.18
TOTAL DRIVERS LICENSE FEES		21,869,557.26

OTHER REVENUE

OTHER REVENUE	
Commercial Drivers License App.	8,298.00
Emergency Light App.	82,225.43
Firearms License	24,2810.80
News Media	919.00
No Insurance	2,901,688.20
Criminal History	0.00
Restoration	14,471,700.39
Accident Reports	\$215,641.57
Driver Improvement	11,592.00
CDLTraining	11,590.00
Implied Consent Fees	0.25
Incident Fees	181.58
Driver Services - MVR	1,188,053.25
PDPS Status Check	0.00
MVI Emissions	0.00
Other Revenue	26,800.86
Unclassified Revenue	0.00
Overage	2,283.33
TOTAL OTHER REVENUE	18,945,255.66
GRAND TOTAL ALL FEES	40,814,812.92

SCHEDULE OF FUNDS AVAILABLE AND EXPENDITURES COMPARED TO BUDGET

FUNDS AVAILABLE	BUDGET		<u>ACTUAL</u>	FA	ARIANCE - VORABLE FAVORABLE)
REVENUES					
State Appropriation Federal Revenues Other Revenues Retained	\$ 14,767,504.00 7,911,069.00 <u>2,870,389.00</u>	\$	4,767,504.00 5,727,356.94 2,685,248.33	\$	0.00 -2,183,712.06 <u>-185,140.67</u>
	\$ 25,548,962.00	\$	23,296,020.13	\$	-2,368,852.73
CARRY-OVER FROM PRIOR YEAR					
Transfer from Reserved Fund Balance					
	0.00		<u>115,910.86</u>		<u>115,910.86</u>
	\$ 25,548,962.00	\$	23,296,020.13	\$	-2,252,941.87
<u>EXPENDITURES</u>					
Personal Services Regular Operating Expenses Travel Motor Vehicle Purchases Equipment Computer Charges Real Estate Rentals Telecommunications Per Diem, Fees and Contracts Capital Outlay Highway Safety Grants Peace Officers Training Grants Y2K Project	\$ 10,071,684.00 4,425,040.00 210,969.00 100,241.00 244,902.00 304,122.00 194,547.00 360,148.00 2,397,465.00 300,000.00 2,877,149.00 4,054,643.00 8,052.00	\$	9,801,935.95 3,656,202.60 128,212.65 77,142.00 230,096.94 287,268.42 174,355.82 277,267.87 1,830,601.06 299,963.20 2.276,382.18 4,042,722.02 0.00	\$	269,748.05 768,837.40 82,756.35 23,099.00 14,805.26 16,853.58 20,191.18 82,880.13 566,863.94 36.80 600,766.82 11,920.98 8,052.00
	\$	<u>\$</u>	23,082,150.51	<u>\$</u> _	2,466,811.49
Excess of Funds Available over Expenditures		<u>\$</u>	213,869.62	<u>\$</u>	213,869.62

FAITHFUL SERVICE AWARDS

10 YEAR AWARDS

James Wiley Andrews Stephen Anthony Black Michael E. Bradshaw Delston Herbert Branch, II Marcia L. Brooks Terry Lynn Brown Andrew Paul Carrier Ella Marcia St. Clair Michael Kevin Coalson Charlie Beniamin Cochran Michael J. Cofield Gwen Louise Cook Judith Victoria Crawford Keith Leon Collins Donald J. Daniel James Lee Davenport Hubbard Deloach, Jr. Dennis Wade Dixon. Jr. K. O. Drurv Phyllis E. Elbert James Larry Foster Steve A. Fowler Richard Mark Garner Brian Everett George Charles M. Godby Cheryl Janice Greathouse

Teri Ann Akin Rose Ann Austin Blythe Ann Barrios Maria Anne Bates Thomas Carey Bentley Susie W. Blackshear Glenda Wilson Blanton Joseph K. Boatright Angela Tracy Boswell Joev Clav Brown Samuel Brown William H. Bryant, Jr. Tom Webb Bufford, Jr. Chris A. Burger **Toby Michael Cameron** Robert Mark Camp Elga F. Cantrell

Wendall John Gregory Franklin Keith Hales Dana Lee Harnage Joyce N. Hawkins **Daniel Scott Hicks** Perry W. Hobbs Linda Diane Johnson Barbara Ann Jones Christopher Wayne Kirksey Randall W. Lane Angela M. Ledford Ronald I. Lloyd William David Lovell James Hamilton Lovett Derek Lamar Marchman Trenton David McWhirter Harry E. Middleton Johnnie Rowell Mills Frank Randal Mize Robert D. Moody Steven Lance Newsome Lewis Edward Ozmore Terry Lee Payne David T. Perkins Judith C. Posev Russell Dan Powell

15 YEAR AWARDS

Wade Samuel Carter Rodney Craig Castleberry David Dean Chaffin Kristopher Charles Coody John Charles Cook Carol A. Cuendet **Everett Brady Dillard** Melvin Tharon Dukes Floyd Connell Samuel Keith Flury Harold G. Fowler Maree J. Gav Ronald S. Ghani Dianne Carol Gillenwater John A. Gladney Lawrence Reginal Harrell Deotha Y. Harvey

Maurice Marcelluis Raines Janice Talley Riddle Gina M. Roush Grantland Grav Rowe, III Sylvia S. Rowell Larry Ruffin Stephen Seville Rushton Kyle F. Sapp Eddie L. Smith James Ladale Smith Brian Lamar Stone Bryan Hugh Strickland Ivan L. Strickland Jerri Taylor Sonva Taylor Tony Christopher Thompson John Arthur Threat Janet D. Thrift Ronald D. Warren Bennie L. Watts Anthony Terrell Webb Tracy Denise Webb Daniel Harvey Wells Claire Sanders White Buriel F. Williams Michael G. Willoughby

Russell Davidson Hayes Gerald Jay Hoekwater, Jr. Leamon C. Hughes George A. Hylton Celene Cowan Kennedy Leslie Lamberth Harriet M. Laurence Lula B. Maddox Randy Carroll Martin Sibley Matchett, Jr. **Bobby Mathis** Yvonne L. McBride James Bryant McCard, III James Benjamin Miller Fred Edward Moon, Jr. Barbara Byrd Moore Cecil E. Okelley

Joseph Gary Parker Kenneth R. Poznanski David P. Pritchett William Terrell Proffitt Leslie Robinson Francine R. Scott

Craig P. Willingham
David Richard Wilson
Michael D. Young
Annette W. Adams
Karen Elizabeth Agan
Mattie Gale Belton
Robert E. Bonner
Ricardo A. Bowdry
David J. Brack
Allen Tillman Campbell
Paul Hershel Carter
David E. Cody
Edward Cunningham

Ricky Lynn Wilcox George S. Young

Cheryl D. Abernathy
Robert Beall
Charles Curtis Bennett
Thomas Martin Bramlett
Edward Carl Brock
Arletha Broner-Ellis
James Quinton Butler
David Marshall Callaway
Alfred Wayne Carlisle
William Don Chastain

George Theron Whittaker Albert Manco Wilson, III Howard Lamar Youmans, Jr. Vernon A. Anderson Charlie W. Bennett Raymon Alexander Clark, Jr. Royce G. Collins Johhny W. Cooper William N. Dedmon Beuford D. Durrence Susan Davis Edmondson Lynne L. Simpson
Eddie L. Smith
Eric Tracy Smith
Randy Lamar Summerlin
Stanley K. Thompson
William A. Thornton

20 YEAR AWARDS

Michael David Fagler
Jim C. Foskey
David S. Fowler
Raymond Gregory Gillis
Lynda E. Gossett
Charles Edward Grier
Benji Hodges
James K. Horne
Tammy M. Huet
Jacquelyn D. Johnson
William D. Lee, Jr.
Johnny Edward Lovin, Jr.
William Terry Landers

25 YEAR AWARDS

Johnny Floyd Cunningham
Ernest G. Dyal, Jr.
Billy Carson Exum
Harold Maynard Griggs, Jr
Johnnie B. Hall
Ronny Wayne Head
Freddie Lee Hines
Willie James Johnson
Jesse Jones
Emmett Neal Jump
Timothy Grady Land
John Elmer McGlamry
Johnnie Chandler Price

30 YEAR AWARDS

James D. Fincher
Edgar M. Gass, Jr.
Debra Lynn Gay
Donald E. Halstead
Jimmy R. Holcombe
Howard Ronald James
Judson Paul Kirkpatrick
William R. Kitchens, Jr.
Johnny C. Lacienski
David W. Mooney
W. W. Moulton, Jr.

35 YEAR AWARDS James R. Benefield

Terry W. Tracy Marilyn S. Trice Charles Van Prince, Jr. Lori W. Vermillion Lanita A. Wakefield Charles L. Williams

Birdie June Kennedy Leopold Richard E. Mason Joseph A. Medcalf, Jr. Rick D. Ogden Eddie Lee Owens Douglas H. Ralston David B. Reed Gary Joe Sharpton Johnny M. Smith James D. Stultz, Jr. Gailyn B. Thompson Anthony J. White

Rebecca J. Pryor
Norma Jean Rowe
W. Burrell Summer
Albert Allen Simmons
Kathy I. Simmons
Vicky Lynn Simpson
Charles Richard Stanton
W. Burrell Sumner
Terry Steven Wiley
John Thomas Waldrop
Emory Walker
Patricia L. Wheeler

Charles L. Nutt
Reuben E. Odom, Sr.
Troy H. Palmer
Anthony E. Priest
James Randall Robertson
Trina K. Senft
William S. Smith
Carlton E. Stallings
W. E. Tatum, Jr.
Dennis L. Tucker
William Stephen Young

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